THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

ENTRANCE

GATHERING

PRELUDE "I've Got Peace Like a River' American Spiritual Celebration Ringers arr. S. E. Rogers

WELCOME AND INVITATION

*CALL TO WORSHIP

In the midst of our lives,

We know you are with us O, God.

In the midst of laughter and fun, joys and celebrations,

We know you are with us O, God.

In the times of sadness and tears, grief and struggle, We know you are with us O, God.

At home, at worship, at camp, at work, among family and friends,

We know you are with us, O God. Thanks be to God!

*HYMN 355 UMH "Depth of Mercy"

PRAYERS

Leader offers directions and reads one line at a time as the congregation responds

(Raise your hands over your head palms open)
Welcoming God,

we praise you for all you are,

(Stretch your arms out to your sides palms up)

all you have made, and all you give to us.

(Raise your hands over your head again)

We welcome you into this place, into our hearts.

and into this worship.
(Stretch your arms out in welcome)
Teach us to welcome one another,
in grace and peace. Amen.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

GOSPEL READING Matt 18:21-35 NIV

ANTHEM "Old-Time Gospel Medley" Sandra Wagner
New Spirit Ringers

Colored Bells "Do, Lord, Remember Me"

MESSAGE Multiplying Mercies

Anthony Gomez, Director of Camp Dickenson

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY 95 UMH

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN 451 UMH "Be Thou My Vision"

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

*Congregation is invited to stand as you are able.

The Call to Worship and Opening Prayer come from the East Ohio Conference of The UMC Camps (2020).

SundayWorshipResources.pdf (eocumc.com)

Prayer Request

Please provide information below:

Person placing the request:

Prayer Requested for:

Name:

Their Need :_____

Are they family, friend, co-worker or neighbor?

YES or NO

May we share your prayer request in our bulletins and newsletters?

YES or NO

*Email:*_____

Phone:_____

ushers, members and pastor are here Want to know more about our ministries and opportunities? Your Today you will experience Christ-centered worship and fellowship. Welcome to Grovel

%e Are Glad You Are **Here!**

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Chris Dunn Corene Simms **Bob Surber** Sam Belcher Shannon Nelson Frankie Cook Pattie Crawford Drew DeHart Amy Black Ovella Wade Diane Pryor Shirley Alley Renie Price Jeff Broadwell Mildred Wall Liz Baxter Doug Fitzpatrick Sonya Nicely **Becky Ritter** The Family of Jim Nicely Carolee Bondurant Annual Conference & Participants Jim Keffer Those homebound & in assisted living

SERVING TODAY

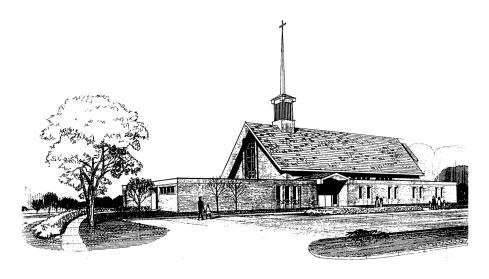
ACOLYTE	Natalie Schepisi
ALTAR GUILD	Bob & Susan Boggess
	Barry Anderson & Bob Boggess
LITURGIST	Ila Schepisi
SOUND TECHNICIAN.	Cory Schepisi
USHERS	Bob Boggess & Frank Herzog

Today we welcome Anthony Gomez, Camp Dickenson Director, who will lead us in celebrating **Holston Conference Camping Ministries!**

Grove United Methodist Church

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June 4, 2023 **Camping Ministry Sunday** Trinity Sunday / 1st Sunday After Pentecost 10:00 am



Rev. Dr. Jan Nicholson Angle Minister

Cell 540-589-9118

Pat Brown Organist

Libby Watts Handbell Choir Director

Donna Alley Finance Assistant

Rev. Dr. Joe Borden Chancel Choir Director

Dana E. Watson Administrative Assistant

Lynn Wright Custodian

Jim Harrison **Pianist**

Ila Schepisi Deacon in Residence

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